



Distracted drivers are causing a staggering amount of serious car accidents. In fact, driver distractions are now the leading cause of auto accidents. Some common driver distractions are: Talking on a cell phone, texting, reaching for objects, looking at objects or events, reading, eating, and applying makeup. According to a study released by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute (VTI), 80 percent of automobile accidents and 65 percent of near-accidents involve at least some form of driver distraction within three seconds of the crash or near-miss. As a result, police everywhere have begun aggressively ticketing people that engage in distracted driving and endanger other drivers, passengers and pedestrians. Don't be that driver! Stay alert and focus on the highway! That's an Order!

